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GERHARDT'S STORE NEWS

Here Is a List of the Bargains We Offer This Week

The Tipperary Dress that will fit any waist line, at **79c**The Middy Aprons at only **50c**

\$1.50 House Dresses	94c	Lot Children's Dresses	25c
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\$4.50 Parasols	\$3.38	\$2.50 Parasols	\$1.98
\$3.50 Parasols	\$2.63	\$2.00 Parasols	\$1.50

ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS

\$1.00 Royal Worcester Corsets	75c
\$1.50 Royal Worcester Corsets	\$1.00
\$2.00 Royal Worcester Corsets	\$1.60
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RECORD DOES FINE JOB PRINTING

LOCAL NEWS

Rex Allen spent Sunday at the home of his parents in Wheeler.

Will Borton went to Greenville, on business, Saturday morning.

H. B. Parrish of Ithaca, transacted business in Alma, Saturday.

Miss Eliza Emsley spent the week end with friends in North Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wheeler motored to Lansing, to visit friends, Sunday.

Alvin and Kathena Austin of Monroe, are visiting friends in Alma, this week.

Miss Helda Granger went to St. Johns, Monday morning, to visit with friends.

Dr. Sluyter, Osteopathic Physician, Vermuelen Block, Alma, Mich. Union phone, 47.

Clayton Moon left Monday noon to spend a few days vacation at his home in Pellston.

Mrs. Virginia Gongwer spent the week end at the home of her parents in Charlotte.

Circuit Court Judge Kelly Searl of Ithaca, was in Alma, on business, Monday morning.

L. I. Conn, secretary of the Union Telephone Company, of Owosso, was in Alma, on business, Monday.

H. C. Richardson business manager of the Lansing News was in Alma, on business, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Koepke, who is building the new First State Bank building spent the week end at his home in Flint.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Fred L. Keeler of Lansing, transacted business in Alma, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Adams and son Robert, spent Sunday at Bass Lake, the guests of Mrs. Ray of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Shepherd who are living in Greenville, where the former is working, spent the week end in Alma.

Miss Ruth Stacy who is a student in the summer school of the college, visited friends in Mt. Pleasant, over Sunday.

Miss Winifred Trapp and Miss Francis Stitt, went to St. Johns, Monday morning, to visit friends for about a week.

Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Blaisdell, Thomas Jr., and William Blaisdell, motored to Lansing, Friday afternoon, to spend a few days with friends.

Harry Weidenhoff of Stanton, transacted business in Alma Monday morning. He was a freshman in the college, about seven years ago.

James Wheeler who has been serving a term for drunkenness and disorderly conduct at the county jail, returned to his home in Alma, Monday morning.

Stiles Kennedy candidate for the county clerkship on the progressive ticket last fall, was in Alma, Monday morning on his way to Jackson, to transact business.

An expert painter has painted the big smoke stack at the Republic Motor Truck, with the name and trade of the company. It required considerable skill to accomplish the job.

Mrs. Al. Mann is very seriously ill and though she is slowly improving she is far from being out of danger. Saturday evening, little hope was held out for her recovery though she finally rallied.

Between forty and fifty Alma people spent Sunday at Bass Lake and Rock Lake which are located near Vestaburg. A violent rain made the day rather disagreeable for recreative purposes.

G. V. Wright left Monday afternoon for Chicago, where he spent three days buying his fall stock of furniture and rugs. He has secured a splendid line of the latest designs in these and has bought the biggest stock which he has ever essayed.

Charles W. Kelly of Mt. Pleasant, sixty nine years of age, died at the home of James Flansburg, in this city, Saturday. Funeral services were held at the church eight miles north of Riverdale. The cause of his death was Bright's disease.

Dr. T. C. Blaisdell delivered an address before the members of the Pomona Grange of Ingham County, Saturday evening on the subject of "The Farmer and The Ford". He also spoke before the Peoples' Church of East Lansing, Sunday morning.

The following party of Alma people spent Sunday at Crystal Lake: George Maier, Charles G. Rhodes and family, George Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brunner, Harry Cohen and family, Mr. Joseph Cohen, Glen Rockwell, John Gaffney, Miss Ruth Kelly, Miss Edna Campbell, Miss Eda Fryholm, Howard Lake, Lawrence Montigel, Perry T. Banghart, Mr. and Mrs. Crisp, Dr. Gill and family, Frank Ruggles, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grabowsky, Mr. and Mrs. Dorland Smith, C. E. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lete Adams, Dr. and Mrs. Lamb and family, D. W. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sharrar and family.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold a baked goods sale at Millers' grocery, Saturday, July 24th, afternoon and evening. adv.

Mrs. Downie Vought was an Ithaca visitor, Saturday.

Henry Soule transacted business in Saginaw, Saturday.

James R. Campbell transacted business in Ithaca, Friday.

Jay Van Leuvan of Riverdale, was in Alma, on business, Saturday.

Roy Perry went to Owosso and Lansing, to visit friends, Sunday.

Carl Stegall, chef at Miners' Cafe, spent the week end at his home in Bay City.

Miss Belle Brown of Otsego, arrived in Alma, Friday, to visit with relatives.

Miss Marian Chick went to Belding, Friday morning to visit friends for a few days.

A. D. Amsden of Saginaw, leader of the 3rd Regiment Band, visited friends in Alma, Friday.

Miss Jane Green of Saginaw, freshman in the college last year, visited Alma friends, Saturday.

Bryson McCloy of Ithaca, a 1915 graduate of the college, visited friends in Alma, Saturday morning.

Mrs. Floyd Glass and two children went to Bass Lake, Thursday afternoon, to spend a few weeks at the resort.

Mrs. H. M. Dunham, is acting in the capacity of matron at Wright Hall, this week while the School of Methods is in session.

Mrs. Walter Vliet went to Petoskey, Saturday noon, to join her son Stanley who has been spending the past week at the resort.

Prof. F. N. Notestein, who has been spending the last two weeks at Otsego Lake on business, returned to his home in Alma, Friday evening.

Miss Hazel Johnson of Wauseon, Ohio, returned to her home, Monday morning, after a week's visit, at the home of Miss Bessie Kelly.

Mrs. C. J. Brown and daughter Miss Laura, went to Ann Arbor, Saturday afternoon, to spend the week end with friends in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Eli Brown returned to her home two miles north of Alma, from Lansing, where she has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Edward Ballance, for the past two weeks.

Clarence Goodrich of Ithaca, visited friends in Alma, Saturday morning, on his way to Sandusky, where he will take up his school duties again.

J. P. Losey, Joseph Page Jr., W. W. Stopple and T. R. Sprague, motored to Houghton Lake, Saturday afternoon, returning Monday morning.

Joseph Sartor Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sartor Jr. and three children went to Detroit, Saturday morning to attend the wedding of one of his relatives.

Clinton Harvey of Standish who has been playing baseball with the Ithaca team, for the past few weeks, was in Alma, visiting friends, Saturday morning.

Miss Lila Lancashire, who has been visiting at the home of Miss Fanny King for the past week, returned to her home in Manchester, Massachusetts, Saturday morning.

The terrace in front of the Union School building is being regraded and seeded. When the job is completed the general appearance of the grounds will be greatly improved.

The 11th annual Gratiot and Isabella county S.S. excursion will leave Alma the morning of August 3rd, for Traverse City. The excursion trains will arrive in the resort city about noon, leaving Alma at seven minutes after six in the morning. The return trip will begin at six thirty the same evening. The fare will be one dollar and a half with the concession of a three-day stopover for an extra fifty cents. Refreshments will be served on both trains. F. O. Parker is the Alma member of the committee in charge. These excursions have been among the most popular of the season and will undoubtedly be patronized more heavily than usual this summer.

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